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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 10, 2007, in which all pending claims (15-19) stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112 (first paragraph). This response is timely filed as it is accompanied by a petition for a three month extension of time until October 10, 2007.

Status of the Claims is reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.